

Interview Summary

Application No.

09/658,395

Applicant(s)

Bryer

Examiner

EL-Arini

Art Unit

1746

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Examiner EL-Arini

(3) _____

(2) MR. Ohriner

(4) _____

Date of Interview 9/2/03Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conferencec) ☐ Personal [copy is given to 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No. If yes, brief description:Claim(s) discussed: 21-23, 28, 30Identification of prior art discussed: Shortes et al (4,027,686), and
Bryer et al. (6,432,214).Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments:

MR. Ohriner discussed the difference between cleaning boxes as claimed, and cleaning flat surface as taught by Shortes et al. Shortes et al. teach spraying the flat surface toward the center of the rotor, and not to the surface of the boxes. Also discussed that the boxes are not going to fit between the nozzle and the rotor of Shortes et al. MR. Ohriner also discussed that Bryer et al. system does not include angle spray nozzle to clean the boxes. MR. Ohriner discussed amending the claims to include supporting the boxes on the rotor and directing the nozzles at certain angles to overcome the prior art rejections.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

i) ☐ It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview (if box is checked).

Unless the paragraph above has been checked, THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.

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Examiner's signature, if required